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WHITESBURG, LETCHER COUNTY, KENTUCKY, THURSDAY EVENING, AUGUST 22, 1946.

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W. M. Collins Is Called By Death

On Thursday morning, July 25, 1946 the Death Angel visited the home of W. M. Collins and took him to that Great Beyond to spend eternity. He had been sick only a few days with double pneumonia. He was the son of Wesley and Mary Jane Collins. He was fifty-one years of age at the time of his death. Early in life he married Allie Dixon and to this Union were born eleven children four having preceded him in death several years ago. He leaves to mourn his passing his mother, Mrs. Mary Jane Collins, his widow, Mrs. Allie Dixon, Collins, seven children, Mrs. Charles J. Williams of New Jersey; Mrs. Arnold Griffie, Blackey, Ky.; Geneva, Jessie, Jacqueline, Reginal and Talmadge, all at home. Three brothers, Calvin Collins, Ulvah; and John Collins of Roxana. Six sisters, Mrs. Kate Rochinich, Weirton, W. Va., Mrs. Elyphia Benedict Collins, W. Va.; Mrs. Elizabeth Caribena Collins, W. Va. Mrs. Cynthia Martello, Holiday's Cave, W. Va. Mrs. Osia Simms, Ulvah, Ky., and Sgt. Ora Lee Collins with the War Detachment, Fort Lawton, Washington. Bill, as he was known by his many friends was a kind, loving father and a devoted husband. Although he did not belong to any church, he tried to live an honest upright life. He was always ready to lend a helping hand and he will be sadly missed by his family and friends. He started a new home a few weeks before his passing but didn't have it completed. He told his family just before he died of seeing a beautiful home and that he was going to build his home like the one he saw. Loved ones, let's be prepared to meet Bill over there where we can be together and parting is no more.

Elders Tip Cornett, Bates and Crase conducted the funeral services. Burial took place on the hill near his home. Craft's Funeral Home in charge of funeral arrangements.

Veterans Universal Meeting Aug. 19th

The house was called to order by Herman Combs, Jr., Chairman presiding.

The applications of Orville Burke and Tom Hogg were received and were accepted for membership.

Clyde Wilfong and R. W. Price were regularly initiated. 'Twas agreed to have a pie supper for the purpose of raising funds. It will be held in the Court House on August 26th, at 8:00 P. M.

Clyde Wilfong was appointed to serve as a member on the committee of Finance. Vernon Banks was appointed as a member to serve on the Organization Committee. R. W. Price was appointed as a member to serve on the Rehabilitation Committee.

Walter Fulton, Veteran Administration Agent explained the legislation concerning Terminal Leave benefit for veterans.

The meeting adjourned until the next regular meeting time, Monday night, August 26th, 1946.

Members present: Clyde Wilfong, A. Pigman, Vernon Banks, Dee Dawahare, R. W. Price, Ed Moore, John Brown, Herman Combs, Jr., W. L. Stallard, Jr., Bill Collins, Paul Pigman, and Walter Fulton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Nicholson spent last week end in Knoxville.

HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENT RETURNS

Mrs. Mary Belle Rogers has returned to Whitesburg and has accepted her position as Home Demonstration Agent again. Mrs. Rogers' return is welcomed, not only for her efficient work as Home Demonstration Agent, but also for her many helpful activities in the county and community.

Farm on Collier's Cr. To Sell At Auction

The John Gibbs farm on Collier's Creek will be sold at auction on Saturday, Aug. 24, on the premises at 9:30 o'clock by Sam Collins Land Auction Co.

A \$20 Bill and other cash prizes will be given away during the sale.

The large farm consisting of 150 acres or more will be subdivided into lots and tracts and sold to the highest bidder.

Beauty Contest Decided Success

On last Sunday afternoon a very fine and enthusiastic gathering assembled atop the beautiful Pine Mountain by the side of the recently built swimming pool where it was decided who should be voted "Miss Letcher County". Five pretty and attractive girls entered to compete for this title, they being—Mildred Collins of Cronona; Jaunita Hogg, of Whitesburg; Patsy Ison, Whitesburg; Faye Bowen, Whitesburg; and Madonna Smith of Jenkins.

The first place in the contest was won by Miss Smith, while Miss Faye Bowen won second place. Miss Smith was sponsored by The Elkhorn Country Club of Jenkins and she will represent Letcher County at Louisville at the State Fair. She will enter on Sunday and will compete for state honors. Miss Smith in addition to beauty has talent as well as training in dramatics. She will, we feel sure, represent Letcher County with honors.

The Beauty Contest was sponsored by the Whitesburg Rotary Club and assisted by the Coca-Cola Bottling Company and others. Rotarian Coy Holstein appointed the judges and presided over the contest.

Mr. G. D. Polly, who was host to the gathering invited the contestants to a chicken dinner at the Pine Mountain Resort Hotel.

Marvin L. McKinney Killed in Accident At Ermine

Marvin L. McKinney of Cynthia, Ky., was killed instantly last Friday evening due to an Automobile accident near the Caudill Lumber Company at Ermine. He and his cousin, Bob McKinney were traveling toward Neon when their car failed to make the curve and crashed into a parked car, their car overturning and pinning Mr. McKinney under the car.

The body was returned on Saturday to his home at Cynthia by the Evans Funeral Home.

ATTENTION

The City Barber Shop which is owned and operated by Sam Blair and Milburn Polly is now located in the basement of the building under the Williams Electric Store. We would like for all our customers and friends to keep coming to see us, and we will be more than glad to serve you.

—BLAIR & POLLY.

Whitesburg To Have New Drug Store

The building recently vacated by the City Barber Shop will within the near future house a new and modern Drug Store according to information reaching The Eagle. The new store will be of a partnership concern with Mr. and Mrs. Pennington in charge. The new proprietors are well experienced in the work connected with a drug store. B. Dave Blair and other local business men are said to be sponsors of the new concern.

Bach Family Asso'n To Have Annual Reunion

The Annual Reunion of the "BACH FAMILY ASSOCIATION" will be resumed this year, being the first one to be held since the beginning of the War. It will be held on the grounds of the Experiment Station in Quicksand, Breathitt County, Kentucky, on Sunday, September the 1st. The Sunday before Labor Day being the day designated for the Annual Reunion which has been held for many years.

September the 14th, 1834, being the date that John Bach, Sr., bought 2500 acres in Eastern Kentucky and much of this land is still in possession of the descendants of said John Bach, Sr. He being a direct descendant of "Johann Sebastian Bach" the great musician. His ancestor came to the United States in 1735 from Germany settling in Culpeper County, Virginia, near the Germanna Colony. The Bible which was brought from Germany and which bears the date 1735 is still in the possession of members of this family.

Every one attending will bring their basket lunch which will be served at the noon hour after which the business meeting will be held. Judge Chester A. Bach, the President, of the Organization, presiding.

Ernest Combs Killed In Car Accident In Ohio

Ernest Combs was killed instantly Sunday, August 11th in a Car-Truck accident near Sugar Creek, Ohio. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Renzy Combs of Red Fox, Ky.

Ernie, as he was known to all his friends, served for nearly 5 years in the Armed Service and was discharged last November and soon thereafter returned to his former job with the Pennsylvania Railroad at their roundhouse at Wooster, Ohio.

Funeral services were held at the home and in the family cemetery at Wolf Pen, Ky., Monday afternoon by Rev. Elan Hale and George Higgins.

Ernie is survived by his parents and three brothers, Arlie of Red Fox, Dempsey of Mineral, Washington and Kerney of San Antonio, Texas.

Funeral services in charge of Evans Funeral Home.

Attention!

The Hall Reunion will be held August 25th, at Viper, Ky. The public is invited to bring your dinner and spend the day.

Memorial Services

Memorial services for Milton Hall and son will be held at the Hall cemetery September 1st, and also at the home on Saturday night.



—Mrs. Stephen Combs, Jr.—

Rosemary Bevins is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Daisy Smallwood.

Mrs. Robert Williams has accepted a position with the Employment Office, on the resignation of Mrs. George Collins, (Miss Judy Frazier).

The guest of Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Price is his brother, Mr. F. L. Price of Bowling Green.

Paul Tolliver, who has completed a course in art and photography in Chicago, and has been visiting here during the past two weeks, left on Wednesday for Los Angeles, Cal. where he plans to get in the photograph business.

Miss Norma Codispoti, who has completed summer term at Berea College, spent several days as the guest of Miss Ann Hays, before going to Oak Ridge. Miss Anita Codispoti also visited friends here during the week.

Rev. K. E. Hill will leave on Monday, August 26th for Wilmore to attend the Kentucky Annual Conference. Mrs. Hill, Virginia and Ralph will visit relatives in Robertson County and attend the conference during the week end.

Mrs. Clarice L. Clay and son, Emil Joe, have spent the week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Lynch.

Mrs. Oscar Lewis and daughters, Joan and Barbara, shopped in Lexington last week.

Mrs. Windus Williams and daughter, Peggy, were shopping visitors in Lexington several days last week.

Miss Cleo Stamper has accepted a position as Librarian at Union College, Barbourville. She has recently graduated from Peabody College.

Recent guests of Miss Mable Mercer were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Montjar and Mr. Geo. Kuhn of Dayton, Ohio.

Birthday Dinner Honoring Mrs. Blair

Mrs. Maurice Lewis and Mrs. Gordon Lewis were joint hosts at the home of the latter at a lovely surprise birthday dinner honoring Mrs. Bill Blair.

The table was attractive with lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of garden flowers. The dinner was served buffet. The guests and hosts presented the honoree with a handsome chest of Silverware. Included were Mrs. Cossie Quillen, Mrs. Lee Moore, Mrs. W. G. Holbrook, Mrs. Hazel B. Childers, Mrs. J. E. Crawford and Mrs. John Adkins.

Mrs. M. D. Lewis Gives Party For Mary Lynn Lewis

On Tuesday evening, August 13th, Mary Lynn Lewis was guest of honor at a birthday party on her 17th birthday, given by Mrs. M. D. Lewis at her home. Included were Jane Raleigh Lewis, Anna Mae Lewis, Connie Jo Combs, Dossie Adams, Betty Jo Reed, Patsy Lawson, Janet Lewis, Cleta Bentley, Jackie Combs. Mrs. Lewis was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Hazel B.

Childers and Mrs. Lewis Ammerman.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett G. Fields and son Emmett Burke spent the week end in Lexington. Billie and Bronston Burke, who spent a month visiting here, returned with them to their home in Lexington.

Mrs. Leonard Kelsey and son, Jon Lyn, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Fields. They are enroute from Tampa, Fla., to New York City where Mr. Kelsey will be in business.

—B. W. C.

Entertained

Miss Janette Lewis entertained the Business Woman's Circle at her home on Tuesday evening. Mrs. James Bentley led the program. Included were Mrs. Hazel B. Childers, Miss Carlene Kilgore, Mrs. Lester Hammock, Mrs. Ted Bentley, Mrs. Walter Enlow, Mrs. Burnis Banks, Mrs. Paul Taylor, Mrs. Ray Venters and Miss Jean Wheeler.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hammock through the week end were Mrs. Ed Parman and daughter, Edith, of London, Ky.

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Picnic On Mountain

Mrs. Gordon Lewis and Mrs. Rolan Price were joint hosts at a picnic at the Holbrook Cabin on Tuesday evening. Included were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vermillion, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Lexie Potter, Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett G. Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Goff, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Holbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Craft, Mr. and Mrs. Cossie Quillen, Mr. and Mrs. Pollace Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Don Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blair, Dr. and Mrs. Lee Moore, Miss Eline Salyer, Miss Lucille Crawford, Miss Lena Lee Renaker, Mr. Woodrow Dawahare, Mr. F. L. Price, Mr. Russell Price and Dr. Carl Pigman.

Mrs. Bradley Goodwin, and children, Shirley and Larry and Miss Viola Cook are spending this week in Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Lewis left on Monday for several days stay in Louisville.

Dr. and Mrs. Preston E. Sloan had as their guests to breakfast on Saturday morning, Mrs. Joe T. Sudduth and Joe T. Jr., of Stanford, and Mrs. B. C. Bach and Margaret.

Jennie Combs was a patient in Jenkins Hospital last week suffering from an attack of appendicitis.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Brown on Smoot Creek Road are their son, Mr. Astor Brown, Mrs. Brown and three children of Louisville.

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Shower for Recent Bride

Mrs. Monroe Combs was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower at the Methodist Church on Monday evening. Sponsors were Miss Rudell Fields, Miss Bobby Jean Frazier and Mrs. Stephen Combs.

MRS. BILL COLLINS INJURED IN ACCIDENT

Mrs. Bill Collins is a patient in Lynch Hospital suffering from injuries received in a car accident on Cumberland River on Friday afternoon when the car which she was driving went over a steep embankment. Mr. and Mrs. Collins were driving from Washington, D. C., for a visit with relatives here.

Pigman Dry Cleaning Plant Opens

The Pigman Brothers have opened a modern, well equipped Dry Cleaning Plant in a new building back of the L. & N. Depot and will welcome business there. The Pigman Brothers, Walker, Paul, Audra are veterans of World War II and are quite ready to serve the public.

Lions Donate \$500 To City of Whitesburg

The City of Whitesburg is anxious to build a City Hall. The Hall is to contain the Fire Department, Police Headquarters, etc.

The Whitesburg Lions Club believes this building is greatly needed, therefore they sponsored a carnival a few weeks ago and donated to the City of Whitesburg \$500.00—their proceeds from the Carnival, this money was donated and earmarked for this new building.

The Lions Club believes that every public minded citizen in the city should get behind this project.

Mr. Citizen, if a visitor to our town wishes to see a town official at our city hall where would you send them? We need this building to adequately house our Fire Dept.

Under the set-up our insurance rates would be cheaper. Let's all help make improvements in our town so we can point to it with pride.

—Whitesburg Lions Club
Cossie Quillen, Pub. Chm.

Government Takes Step In Coal Mines

Washington, Aug. 19.—The government which has been operating the nation's soft coal mines since last May has taken the first step toward returning the mines to private operation. Administration officials have called for a resumption of contract negotiations on September 10th between the producers and John L. Lewis, president of the A. F. of L. United Mine Workers. They broke off negotiations in May when government took over operation of the soft coal mines.

Mr. and Mrs. James Marlowe and sons visited her parents in Bluefield, West Va., last week.

NOTICE

All schools of the Fleming System (Fleming, Haymond, and Hemphill) will open on September 2nd. All students are to report on that day for registration. New freshmen are to bring their eighth grade diplomas and present them at the registration desk. The school bus will make the usual runs for your convenience. Every one is urged to be present and on time. This promises to be a good year for Fleming High School. We are introducing a number of new courses, Home Economics, Bookkeeping, Spanish Journalism, and second year Algebra. New equipment is being installed. Everything is being put in readiness to meet your needs and convenience.

WILLIAM B. HALL,
Principal.

Greetings Homemakers, 4-H'ers, et al

It's like coming home to be back in our Letcher again and from all reports many clubs have been going strong during the past year. The County Fair is creating much interest throughout the County and Civic Clubs are giving it wonderful support.

We, as Clubs, want to fall in line to make it an exhibit worthwhile.

Some of the Homemakers have told me that we may have a County-wide Picnic. What do you think of it? Let me hear from you.

CLOTHING — Five of us went to Paintsville Wednesday, August 21 to a District Clothing Meeting given by Miss Threlkeld, Clothing Specialist from the University. You will be hearing about this trip at your Club Meetings.

NOTICE — Secretaries of all Homemakers Clubs — I need to have the list of new officers as soon as possible. I will appreciate your sending these to me at an early date.

LANDSCAPING — I have just attended a 10-day course in Landscaping at the University of Kentucky—Mr. N. R. Elliot was instructor. He gave us many helpful suggestions on the propagating and care of lawns, hedges, shrubs, flowers, and trees. There is much we didn't cover of course, but I shall be glad to pass on any information I have.

—Mary Belle Rogers
Home Demonstration Agent.

Mrs. Jane Day Is Called By Death

Mrs. Jane Day, wife of Wilson Day of Little Cowan passed into eternal sleep last Sunday morning after an illness of several months.

Mrs. Day was the daughter of Spencer and Rachel Adams, of Little Cowan. She and Wilson Day were married February 4th, 1910 and to this union was born 7 children, five sons and two daughters. Mrs. Day was a member of the Big Cowan Church and took an active part in all church activities.

Mrs. Day is survived by her husband, Wilson Day, mother, Mrs. Rachel Adams, 5 sons, Oscar, Dewey, Wilson, Fred and Bill, two daughters, Mrs. Martin Webb and Ruby Day, three brothers—Mose, Riley, and Mack Adams; one sister, Mrs. H. Friend and a number of grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the home Tuesday afternoon by Elders, Palmer Spangler, Caleb Creech, Dan Day, Riley Fouts and Cullen Hogg. Burial in the Family Cemetery located on a knoll overlooking the home. Funeral arrangements by the members of the Evans Funeral Home.

Boy Scout Meeting Friday Night

A Boy Scout Meeting will be held Friday night at 7:00 o'clock, August 23rd, at the Fiscal Court Room.

The purpose of this meeting is to reorganize Troop No. 85 and all boys between the age of 12 to 18 who are interested in belonging to this troop are urged to be present. All parents that are interested are invited to attend and any others who are interested.

GARDEN CLUB TO MEET AUG. 27TH

The August meeting of the Garden Club will be held on Tuesday evening, August 27th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Crawford. Mr. Herman Hale will be the speaker, subject, "Roses in the New."

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Huge Sum Raised For World Relief

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 16 — Dr. W. C. Boone, Treasurer, announced today that Kentucky Baptists have raised \$164,451.89 for world relief. This is 57 per cent of their quota of \$287,000. 856 of the 2,130 churches have given toward this offering. In most cases, these churches have gone beyond their six per cent quota of their gifts for 1945. Baptists expect to continue their relief offerings until they have reached their quota. Already \$10,000 has been allotted for Budapest. The Foreign Mission Board Committee has authorized \$25,000 of this relief offering to go to displaced persons now in camps in Germany. An effort is being made to distribute these offerings so that people in all the countries will receive benefit.

Dr. Louie Newton, President of the Southern Baptist Convention, who has recently returned from Russia, is to report on his trip in a special broadcast at 3:30 p. m., August 25. Dr. Newton was invited by the Soviet Union to come to Russia because of his outstanding work in the Russian Relief Campaign last year. The program may be heard in Kentucky over WHAS, Louisville, at 9:30 p. m., Central Standard Time.

The Lions Speak

The Whitesburg Lions met again last Thursday night in the Whitesburg Methodist Church and as usual a delicious dinner was served by the Bell Bennett Circle. About 30 of us gorged around the dinner table with Tail Twister Follies on the prowl collecting dimes for various misdeeds, or just because he didn't like our looks, or saw the whites of our eyes. I believe we have the meanest tail twister in Lionism.

The program was in charge

of Lion Dick Evans, Lion Evans introduced his nephew Calvin Fields, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Fields of Louisville, who made a brief but interesting talk and he introduced the speaker of the evening, Rev. Forrester Rose, pastor of the Walnut Street Baptist Church of Louisville, a scoutmaster of a Louisville Troop who made us a very pleasing and enlightening talk on Scouting. He explained that the word scouting was composed or arrived at by the word "outing". He and some of his boy scouts were on an outing through Eastern Kentucky and enjoying the trip very much.

The speaker encouraged Whitesburg to not only back the troop we have but to organize other troops. We feel the Lions and all other civic clubs agree heartily with his recommendations. We feel that there should be a girl scout troop in Whitesburg. Why don't one of the Women's organizations sponsor a girl scout troop?

Our boys and girls need clean and wholesome recreation. Let us as a civic club take time to give our youth some much needed and deserved attention.

—Lion Cossie Quillen.

LEGION NOTES

An important meeting of Post 104, American Legion will be held Sunday, Sept. 25, 1946, at Cumberland Hotel at 2:00 P. M. Discussion unfinished business — Legion Hall, purchasing, operating, and Armistice Day Celebration November 11, tentatively discussed last meeting. Other important business to be finished at this regular meeting that was taken up at last meeting and carried forward to this meeting. With the rising sentiment of the Young G. I. Joe's for a cleaner Neon. All indications point to action in the very near future. The new year has started with a bang!

Refreshments served, come, bring another buddy to this event.

Sincerely yours,
EZRA CRAFT, Com'dr.
Post 104, American Legion.

Keesler Field, Miss., Aug. 13. — Pvt. Charles W. Berry, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Berry, Crotona, Ky., this week was graduated from one of the world's greatest educational programs—one of the AAF Training Command's airplane mechanics training courses at Keesler Field.

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Lumber Shortage For U. S. Feared

Vigorous Action Is Urged By Forestry Experts.

ROSCOMMON, MICH. — America faces an acute lumber shortage unless immediate steps are taken to increase forest productivity, American Forestry association warns.

The warning was given in the forest resource appraisal report, an inventory of the nation's forest resources.

The report was submitted to a committee of 20 leading conservationists gathered at Higgins Lake near here to draft a program of restoration and development for the country's tree-growing lands.

Forest resources are capable of meeting immediate postwar reconstruction needs but will be unable to sustain high production in the future, the report said.

John E. Woods, director of the survey, said a vigorous program to stimulate new timber growth would correct the situation.

"The future can be made secure through full use of America's vast land area and tremendous tree-growth potential," he declared.

According to association officials, changes in woods practices and policies are needed to overcome the danger of a lumber shortage.

They said privately owned forest lands produce 90 per cent of the nation's lumber products, although these lands contain only 55 per cent of the timber. The other 45 per cent, under control of the federal government, provides only 10 per cent of the production, it was asserted.

Forests now in public ownership were pointed out as being capable of making vast increases in lumber production. However, in many areas "trees are permitted to reach maturity and die unharvested," the officials said.

Population of U. S.

Leaps Up 6 Per Cent

WASHINGTON.—Population of the United States was 140,386,509 on January 1, 1946, an increase of 6.6 per cent since the 1940 census, the census bureau estimates.

It reported that the nation's birthrate has declined somewhat since 1943, but has not yet dropped to its prewar level.

Bureau figures showed the "natural increase" in population—the excess of births over deaths—reached a peak of 930,000 in the last half of 1942, but declined to about 720,000 in the last half of 1945.

Girl Bedfast Three Years Claims 'Angel' Cured Her

MILAN, ITALY.—A Milan surgeon said a 19-year-old girl, bedridden for three years, appeared to recover suddenly on Christus Heart day after declaring an angel had promised she would be well.

Dr. Vittorio Mattei of Major hospital said that some time ago Ada Blancato, a patient who had been motionless in bed for three years with tuberculous plastic peritonitis, said:

"I saw my guardian angel near my bed, white-dressed, in an amazing light, and he told me that on Christus Heart day (June 28) I would have recovered my health."

At dawn on June 28 she told attendants that "I felt suddenly a strange warmth in my body."

Dr. Mattei said the girl walked, dressed herself and ate with appetite.

"I cannot speak about a miracle," Dr. Mattei said, "because I am a surgeon, but certainly we are facing a strange case."

FBI Employs Camera to Trap Extortion Suspect

INDIANAPOLIS.—A hidden camera made a complete motion picture record of a 17-year-old youth who, the FBI said, took a package planted in an automobile in a parking lot here as demanded in a \$15,000 extortion note received by the president of a local bakery. The package was empty, however.

James L. Dalton, in charge of the local FBI office, said the youth was Hollis Coe of Indianapolis, and that he was arrested on a charge of violating the federal extortion statute. Dalton said Coe had been employed in the bakery company's garage for three years.

Harold B. West, president of West Baking company, had turned the note over to authorities despite the fact it threatened harm to West's family and death to West if officials were notified.

Youngster Has Reason To Avoid Telling Truth

OMAHA, NEB.—Detective Capt. Harry Green became somewhat exasperated after many unsuccessful attempts to get a direct answer from a youngster he was questioning. Finally Green asked:

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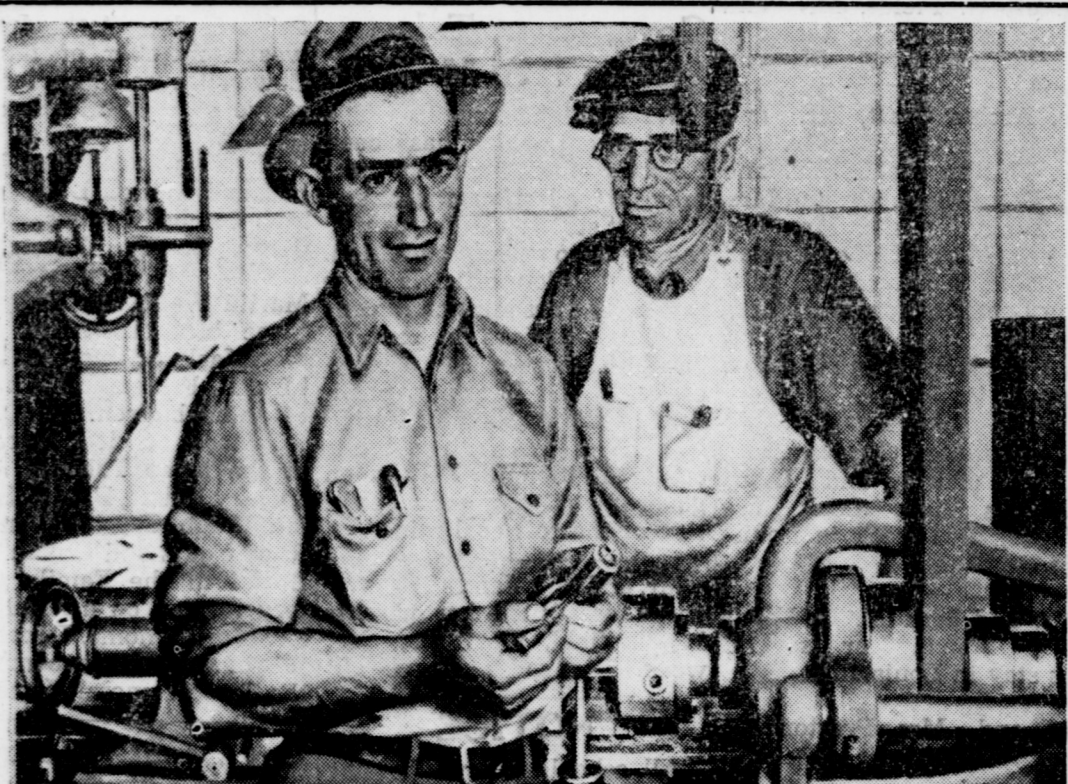
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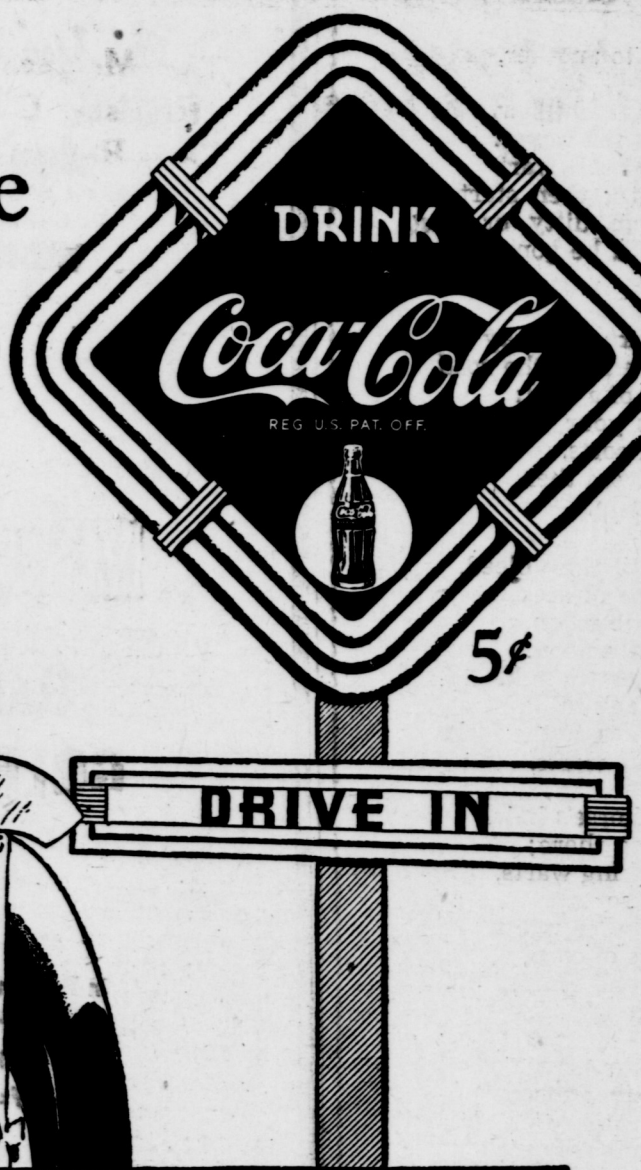
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The public will please take notice that I have been appointed Administrator of the estate of J. M. Sims, deceased of Neon, Ky. Any person having claims against the estate of J. M. Sims will please have same made out properly and filed with me immediately and those owing said J. M. Sims, deceased, will please call and settle with me immediately.

This 14th day of August, 1946.

—DR. ERNEST G. SKAGGS,
Administrator of the
Estate of J. M. Sims,
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Upper Cumberland 4-H Club News

The Upper Cumberland 4-H Club held its meeting Friday, August 9, 1946 at 2:30 P. M. The meeting was called to order by the President after which we stood and gave the Flag salute and 4-H pledge, led by the president. The song, 4-H Pastoral, was used. We had a talk on projects by Cinda Mae Hampton, a riddle by Barbara Collier and a poem by Harold Sturgill. The group sang the Marine Hymn. There were 20 members present, also Mr. Lovely, County Agent and the teachers, Mr. Polly and Miss Banks.

We enrolled 21 members for 1947. Mr. Lovely talked to the group then we were dismissed. We enjoyed the program and look forward to our next month's meeting.

—Mae Engle,
News Reporter.

Little Cowan 4-H Club

The Little Cowan 4-H Club met Friday night, August 9th. There were thirty-five members present. The president called the meeting to order and the secretary called the roll and read the minutes of the last meeting. We are planning to enter the window exhibit contest this year. We were second in the race for the Loving Cup last year and are going to do our best to get it this year.

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U. S. To Purchase Natural Rubber

Pays 23½ Cents Per Pound
For 145,000 Tons.

WASHINGTON. — The United States has agreed to buy 145,000 long tons of natural rubber from Britain, France and Holland for 23½ cents per pound in the last half of this year, according to a state department announcement.

The price, which is basic, is 3¼ cents above the rate being paid up to July 1. This means either that domestic prices of raw rubber will have to be increased or the government will have to pay a subsidy to maintain the purchase program.

A joint announcement here and in London said that Britain, while reopening the Malayan raw market to the United States, would stabilize conditions there by paying a price equivalent to 23½ cents a pound for all available rubber.

Britain and the United States are the great purchasers of rubber.

The base price was described as being for "number IX ribbed smoked sheet." Other grades will be paid for at agreed differentials.

This raw rubber, purchased by the U. S. Rubber Development corporation, will be made available to American manufacturers through government outlet agencies.

The official statement said that "determining factors in the agreements reached were the continuing shortage of natural rubber in relation to demand and the present exceptionally high cost of producing natural rubber in these areas."

The United States obtains the great bulk of its raw rubber from British, Dutch and French Far Eastern production but some is coming from such scattered places as South America, Siam, the Philippines and Africa.

Optometrists Pledge

Their Eyes to 'Bank'

PITTSBURGH. — Three hundred optometrists agreed at convention sessions here to bequeath their eyes to "eye banks" so that their careers of vision improvement would continue after death.

Members of Beta Sigma Kappa, honorary optometric fraternity, meeting here in connection with convention sessions of the American Optometric association, pledged their eyes to the aid of diseased persons and accident victims at the suggestion of their president, Dr. H. E. Pine of Chicago.

"These men spend their lives improving vision," Dr. Pine asserted, "what better means to improve people's sight exists than this method?"

Dr. Pine said recent development of new refrigerating methods made large-scale participation in a system of "eye banks" practical and efficient.

Man Once Was Larger Than Giant Gorillas

CHICAGO.—Evidence that some of modern man's earliest ancestors may have been giants ranging up to twice the size of a male gorilla was disclosed by Dr. Franz Weidenreich, research associate of the American Museum of Natural History.

In a book called "Apes, Giants and Man," Dr. Weidenreich told of recent discoveries of a fossilized giant human jawbone in Java and a huge human tooth found in China.

"It may not be too far from the truth if we suggest the Java giant was much bigger than any living gorilla and that the Chinese giant was correspondingly bigger than the Java giant—that is 1½ times as large as the Java giant and twice as large as a male gorilla," he said.

He added there were only "mere indications" thus far that the giants were older than all other known human types and expressed hope that the search for fossils could be continued in Java and China now that the war in the Pacific has ended.

100,000 Deaths Blamed On Systematic Starvation

BERLIN.—The Red army newspaper Taegliche Rundschau blamed overwork, systematic starvation and epidemics for the deaths of more than 100,000 men whose mass graves, the newspaper said, have just been discovered.

The graves were found at a former German prison camp near Zeithain, Saxony, in the Russian occupation zone. The prisoners were mostly Russian.

"In the so-called camp hospital, 50,000 prisoners had lain ill and unattended and with their only exit the mass grave," the newspaper reported.

Farmer Looks Up at Plane, Sees Grandma in Cockpit

PITTSBURGH.—A small silver monoplane swooped over hay stacks and banked into a turn above a farm at nearby Glenshaw. A young man in the barnyard looked up and exclaimed:

"Good gosh! It's grandma." There was no mistaking the happy face and gray hair of Mrs. Anna Hartman, 80, in the open cockpit of the plane. She was taking her first plane ride.

Quinten Lewis was a business visitor in Louisville

Little Cowan News

Mr. and Mrs. Bert C. Heibeck and son, Billy Banks of Tampa, Fla., are visiting her sister, Mrs. Palmer Spangler and relatives here. Mrs. Heibeck was the former Miss Ruth Stallard before her marriage.

On Saturday night a double birthday supper was set at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Spangler in honor of Mrs. Bert C. Heibeck and Mr. Palmer Spangler. The guests were Mrs. John Stallard and small daughter, Alice Jane of Neon, Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Spangler and son Clarence Lee of Blue Diamond, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Spangler and son Charles Lynn of Whitco, Miss Lois Jane Stallard of Ermine. Fried chicken, vegetables, hot rolls, cold slaw, peaches and cake and hot coffee were served. Everyone present reported a nice time.

On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Bert C. Heibeck and son Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Spangler and daughters, Ruth Ann and Carrie Joyce of Neon, Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Spangler and son, Clarence Lee of Blue Diamond, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Spangler and son Charles Lynn of Whitco, Miss Lois Jane Stallard of Ermine, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Spangler and family went for a picnic at the cemetery at Mayking, Ky. Ice cold water melon, soft drinks and a lot of other good eats were served. Everyone reported a nice time, also pictures were taken.

Bobby Ray Spangler of Hemphill is visiting his cousin Ralph Leroy Spangler.

Mrs. John Long and Miss Jaunita Banks who have been visiting relatives in Akron, Ohio have returned home.

Miss Louise Ison of Nashville, Tenn., has been visiting her cousin, Miss Avis Maggard. Miss Naomi Jones who has been visiting her sister and brother of Big Stone Gap, Va., has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Proffitt gave a bean stringing at their home here Wednesday night. Those present were Fireel and Avis and Flora Maggard, Miss Louise Ison, Junior and Ralph and Bobby Ray Spangler, Johnola and Opal Day, Helen and Elizabeth Donnelly, Frank Banks, Alex and Lenville Halcomb; Henry Day of Mt. Sterling, Ky., Arvis Hampton, Mrs. Paul Caudill and son Cortney V. Matilda and Sarah Ruth Hampton, Otis Day, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Day, Lou Emma Proffitt. Games were played and all present reported a nice time.

DRIFTING ALONG TO ETERNITY

Drifting along to Eternity, Souls without Jesus are lost. Drifting along to Eternity, Never once counting the cost. Drifting along to Eternity, Lowly and high, rich and poor, Drifting along to Eternity While Jesus knocks at your door.

Drifting along to Eternity Millions whom sin doth enslave.

Drifting along to Eternity Millions whom Christ died to save.

Drifting along to Eternity Thinking of nought but today, Drifting along to Eternity Soon death will take you away.

Drifting along to Eternity Sinners for you Jesus died, Drifting along to Eternity Sighting the Christ Crucified. Drifting along to Eternity Thinking that all shall be well. Drifting along to Eternity, Drifting, just drifting to hell.

Sinners stop drifting drifting to hell, Jesus has died for your soul. Trust in his mercy and all shall be well. Cleansed by his blood you are whole.

Other ways lead to a terrible loss, Broad is destruction's free path. When you neglect the way to the Cross Ever you suffer God's wrath.

Friend stop your drifting, turn to the Lord, Owing your guilt and your sin, Resting upon his infinite word. Heaven in your heart will begin.

Jesus has died salvation to give, God says to sinners, only believe, Trust him who died on the tree, Drifting away, drifting away, Sinner stop drifting and turn to the Saviour today.

—Written by—
—Miss Clarice Spangler.

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MERIDA BRANHAM, Plaintiff

VS.

KELLY BLAIR, Defendant

CONSOLIDATED CAUSES

ORDINARY NO. 5364

AND 5365

AND

ALPHA BRANHAM, Plaintiff

VS.

KELLY BLAIR, Defendant

AGREED JUDGMENT AND

ORDER OF SALE

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale directed to me which issued from the Letcher Circuit Court in favor of the plaintiffs in the above styled action, I or one of my deputies will on Monday, September 2, 1946 at one o'clock P. M., at the front door of the Jordan Motor Company's Garage, in the City of Jenkins, Letcher County, Kentucky, offer for sale at public outcry to the highest and best bidder the following described property to-wit:

One 1938; four door, Ford Sedan Automobile.

The amount to be raised is \$200.00 in favor of the plaintiff, Merida Branham, with 6 per cent interest thereon from July 25, 1946 until paid. And three hundred dollars (\$300.00) in favor of the plaintiff Alpha Branham, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent from July 25, 1946 until paid. Plus all the plaintiff's costs and all court costs and the cost of advertising and making this sale.

The sale will be made for cash in hand at the time of sale.

Given under my hand as Sheriff of Letcher County, Kentucky.

This 12th day of August, 1946.

HERMAN C. COMBS, Sheriff,

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By W. H. SERGENT,

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THE WART DOCTOR

(by W. L. Stallard)

All folks who handle frogs have warts,
Big 'uns, little 'uns, an' all sorts.
Frog trouncers 'll have a solid sheet
As thick as hops on their hands an' feet;
And even their faces are covered too,
When they trounce frogs as they used to.
If you handle frogs, you'll have warts,
Big 'uns, little 'uns, an' all sorts.

When you have warts you have to
Find the wart doctor, and then you
Can have your choice as to the way
You'll have your warts taken away.
Some have one remedy, some'll have more,
But they all will work, and often before
You can say Jack Robinson, or even scat,
Your warts are gone . . . just like that.



Steal the dishrag 'thout being caught,
Is a remedy that has always brought
Just any and every kind of warts.
Big 'uns, little 'uns, an' all sorts.
Or tie up in a silken piece of cloth
A beat for each wart to be taken off,
And bury them beneath some waterfall,
And soon you'll have no warts at all.

Or you can sell your warts to another,
To anybody save your twin brother,
For any price so the larger the higher.
Soon your warts will go to the buyer.
Or take an apple seed for each wart
An' put 'em in your mouth; then start
And sing some pretty hymn, ditty, or song,
In a few days your warts 'll be gone.

Or in a silk underskirt tie
A gravel for each wart; look at the sky
And walk backward to a bend in the road,
And place them in the path of a toad;
Whoever touches 'em gets your warts,
Big 'uns, little 'uns, an' all sorts.
You'll be free from warts from then
Until you handle a frog again.

Or pick all your warts until they bleed,
Put the blood on nine kinds of seed,
Plant them on the old of the moon,
Be sure it's on Saturday afternoon.
Or tie a gravel for each wart in silk,
Dampen it well in gray mare's milk,
Walk backward down the road to the forks.
Soon you'll be rid of all your warts.

Or tie around each wart a horse's hair,
Forget about 'em ever being there;
Is a very common way of taking warts,
Big 'uns, little 'uns, an' all sorts.
Or pick 'em 'till they bleed some morn,
Put the blood on nine grains of corn,
Feed to nine chickens each one grain,
That'll take warts without a pain.

At midnight on the new of the moon
Rub all your warts with a silver spoon,
Place the spoon beneath a feather tick,
Your warts will leave you mighty quick.
Or go to the barn at the break o' day,
Ask a white horse to take them away,
Do this nine mornings in succession,
Your warts 'll leave without permission.

Pick all your warts 'till they bleed,
Put all the blood on one pumpkin seed,
Place the seed on the front gate post,
Your warts will disappear like a ghost.
Or rub your warts 'till good 'n sore,
Cover with dirt from under the floor,
Forget you ever had any warts,
Big 'uns, little 'uns, an' all sorts.

Or when the moon is visible at day
All of your warts will go away
If you will pick 'em 'till they bleed,
And cover with milk from the milkweed.
Or take from each wart one drop o' blood,
And rob the milk cow of her cud;
Persuade the cow to take it again,
Will take away warts without a pain.

Modern folks don't believe in sitch,
But listen here, I don't care which
Of all these remedies you choose to try,
You can do 'em over until you die;
But unless you actually have the FAITH,
The kind that the scriptures sayeth,
You'll never get rid of a single wart,
A big 'un, little 'un, or any sort.

WHITESBURG LOCALS

Shower for Recent
Bride

On Thursday afternoon, August 8th, the Employment Office gave a shower in honor of Mrs. George Collins, (formerly Miss Judy Frazier) and employed there, before her marriage. She received many attractive gifts. Sundaes were served. Included were Miss Mabel Mercer, Miss Clova Amburgey, Mrs. Forrester Combs, Mrs. Cossie Quillen, Mrs. Eugene Day, Miss Alice Fields, Miss Jeanette Day, Miss Mary

Elizabeth Draughn, Mrs. Bradley Polly, Miss Lula Roberts, Miss Mattie Lou Frazier, Mr. and Mrs. John Spradlin, Sgt. and Mrs. Don Meyers, Mrs. Eula Belle Whitaker, Miss Elaine Salyer and Mr. Walter Fulton.

Miss Frankie Clements was hostess to the following at a spaghetti supper at Mother Craft's dining room on Monday evening: Joe Isaacs, Jr., Doris Combs, Anita Venters, Frankie Maggard.

Mrs. Emmett Duncan and Miss Virginia Duncan, Lexington, are visiting relatives here.

Anna Ruth Farchild, Washington, D. C., is the guest of her grandfather, Mr. S. G. Fairchild and other relatives here.

John Arnold Collins, Washington, D. C., is visiting relatives here and his grandfather, Mr. John D. W. Collins and Mrs. Collins in Blackey. Visiting with him is his friend, Weston Lee Davis, Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Laura McLaughlin, Richmond, visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Craft at Neon.

Guests of Mr. Hascal Combs during the week were his sisters, Mrs. Julian Smith of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, and Mrs. John Dix of Elizabeth Town, Ky. Mrs. Smith had with her her young son, Ralph Stephen Smith. She was the former Miss Vashti Combs, and Mrs. Dix will be remembered here as Miss Mint Combs.

William Fred Gibson has returned from Akron where he was a patient for two weeks in the Akron Hospital. His condition is much improved.

Dr. B. C. Bach and son, Bert Coates, and Miss Lucille Bach returned on Sunday from Virginia Beach, where they spent a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy McWilliams have returned from a visit with his parents at La-Grange.

Miss Estelle Frazier, Premium, is visiting Miss Mae Frazier in Lexington.

Guests of Jack Lewis this week is his cousin Robert Cornelius from Stearns, Ky.

The guest of Dr. and Mrs. R. Dow Collins is her niece, Edith Yvonne, of Jeffersonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fondy Adams and Mr. Hagan Draughn, Hazard, were Sunday guests in Whitesburg.

Rev. Joe T. Sudduth, Mrs. Sudduth and children, Mary Ann, and Joe T. were guests through the week of Mrs. B. C. Bach and Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Goodwin.

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Camp Branch News

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Profit are the proud parents of a nine pound baby boy, it has been named Donald Patrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bowers spent the week end with Mrs. Bob Hart at Whitaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Vance are the proud parents of a baby girl. It hasn't been named at this writing.

Guests over the week end at the home of Tom Richardson were Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Collins and baby from Pineville, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bowers had as their Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Back and little daughter from Breedings Creek.

Burchel Profit, son of Taft Profit has entered school at Caney, Ky.

Mrs. James Mason and son

John Emmett have returned to their school at Hindman, Ky., after spending their summer vacation with their friends and relatives.

Mr. Odus Collins who was injured in a car wreck and spent several weeks in the Hazard Hospital is now at home.

Annual Mullins Picnic

The annual picnic of the James Madison Mullins family was held August the eleventh at the station on Little Elkhorn Creek with fifty in attendance. Bill Mullins gave the welcome address and introduced the speaker for the morning. Rev. George Mullins. After the inspirational message of Bro. George and the singing of good old hymns, a bountiful lunch was spread. Fried chicken was plentiful

and was enjoyed by all. The afternoon meeting was in charge of the Sunday School group with a special program for the occasion. The meeting was conducted after a pleasant social hour.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank our friends and neighbors for their thoughtfulness, kind consideration and sympathy, shown to us in our most sad hours over the loss of our little grandson, Gerald Spangler, 6 months and 4 days old. Especially do we wish to thank our physicians and nurses at the Fleming Hospital who did everything in their power for the little one, also the Craft Funeral Home for their efficient way of conducting the funeral and Ismay and Bill Sparks, ministers for their consoling words and

songs by all, and nice flowers by relatives and friends.
—Mr. and Mrs.
Campbell Spangler.

Shower for
Mrs. Dale Mullins

Mrs. Dale Mullins was the honoree at a miscellaneous shower given at the Methodist Church on Friday evening. Hostesses were Mrs. James Brown and Mrs. Andrew Clay.

Uncle Sam Says



The wise money is on Sureshot, friend. You won't find him in this race or in any race. And yet Sureshot runs every moment of your life. He pays off \$4 for every \$3 at all of my windows in banks and at the Treasury Department. All you have to do is to keep your money on Sureshot and you don't care if he doesn't come in for 10 years. This is one bet which your Uncle Sam can guarantee as a winner. You're one American I don't have to tell that Sureshot has another more familiar name: United States Savings Bonds. U. S. Treasury Department

ATTENTION

There will be a box supper at Colson School House Saturday night, August 24, at 8:00. The money will go for the benefit of the school. Everyone is invited. —Colson School.

How Japanese Solve Crimes

Suspects Held Incommunicado Until They Confess; No Rights in Court.

TOKYO.—Japan has no unsolved crimes, but there's a reason: A suspect is held incommunicado—even from his lawyer—until he has confessed either voluntarily or under duress.

There is little conception outside these islands of the total absence of individual rights in Japanese court procedure, and of the accused man's complete degradation once he falls under suspicion.

A study of Japanese civil and criminal statutes has been completed by Capt. Anthony J. Maniscalco, former assistant attorney general of Texas.

Maniscalco made the survey in preparation of a "bill of rights" being drawn by the army for possible incorporation in the proposed Japanese constitution.

The Japanese code of criminal procedure and its administrative setup originally were based on the old Napoleonic code. The strict concept of the Japanese family tie was incorporated into this, and the German code of criminal procedure was added later.

Police All-Powerful

Under it the accused had little or no rights such as are deemed fundamental in Anglo-Saxon criminal jurisprudence.

Almost unlimited power is given the police and the public procurator, who roughly corresponds to the American prosecuting attorney.

When the police apprehend any person believed connected with a crime—and laws are so broad that "dangerous thoughts" are sufficient for an arrest—he is incarcerated without the right to see even his family or lawyer.

Eventually, the police obtain a "confession," even though it might (and did, at times) take months. Then the public procurator prepares a formal charge and refers the case to the proper court of law.

An appointed judge presides over a preliminary hearing, conducts all interrogation of the prisoner and witnesses and has the prisoner reiterate his confession. He examines the physical evidence and prepares the record which goes to the trial court.

Call No Witnesses

At the public trial the accused is brought before another appointed judge and, even if he has retained a lawyer, he is not permitted to consult with him.

No witnesses are summoned, as the judge already has familiarized himself with the case, having read the record of the preliminary hearing and the man's "confession." Defense counsel might request the judge to ask particular questions, which the judge might or might not do, but nobody except the judge and the public procurator may question the accused.

At the end of this so-called public trial the procurator asks for a heavy sentence and the defense counsel formally requests leniency.

That was the system in totalitarian Japan, and will remain so until the new constitution goes into effect. With one exception, however—General MacArthur has prohibited any torture of prisoners in the interim.

Dies in Second Leap

From N. Y. Skyscraper

NEW YORK.—It took Charles Vogel two jumps and his last penny to leap to his death from the tower of the Empire State building. But he made it.

Despondent over a heart condition, the 67-year-old hotel elevator operator spent his last \$1.20 for a ticket to the 85th-floor observation tower of the world's tallest building.

The platform was crowded with sightseers. Vogel made his way unnoticed to the 34th street side.

He took off his coat and draped it neatly over the five-foot ledge. Then he vaulted into space. Horrified spectators saw Vogel land on the parapet only one floor below. The plunge had broken his legs. He dragged himself painfully over the 30-inch ledge.

Then he plunged 750 feet to the 30th floor setback and became the only man ever to leap twice from the famed skyscraper.

Japanese Phrase Book

Help to Allied Troops

TOKYO.—Allied headquarters is issuing a Japanese phrase book to occupation troops which includes the following conversational helps:

"You're very pretty."
"How about a date?"
"Where will I meet you?"
The booklet also includes 14 ways to say good-by.

Warns That Freight Car Shortage Will Be Worse

WASHINGTON.—Defense Transportation Director J. Monroe Johnson, warning that the freight car shortage will be worse this fall than at any time during the war, called upon freight receivers to arrange for unloading cars on Saturdays.

He said the practice of not unloading on Saturdays and leaving urgently needed cars idle over the week-end caused a bottleneck.

Advertise in The Eagle—



Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Cox, of Neon, Ky., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Georgia Mae Cox to Sgt. James E. Morris of Irvine, Ky. Miss Cox has been attending Berea College and Sgt. Morris attending Eastern State Teacher's College, Richmond, Ky.

Sgt. Morris is now stationed with the R. T. C. at Fort Knox, Ky. The wedding will take place at the First Methodist Church, Irvine, Ky., Sept. 1st.

Cripple Finds Good Profit in His Hobby

SEATTLE.—Hugh Cooney, former merchant seaman, was injured in a dockside accident at Seward, Alaska, five years ago and he has been riding a wheel chair ever since. His spine was crushed and doctors told Cooney he would never walk again.

But flies, fishing flies, that is, have given Cooney a new lease on life.

More than a year ago, after instructions from members of the Washington State Fly club, Cooney got started in the business of making fishing flies.

He has a complete workshop beside his bed in Seattle's Marine hospital and now supplies 20 sporting goods stores with the lures.

"I manage to turn out from six to eight dozen flies a day," Cooney said. "The orders keep rolling in. I've even got my mother and one of my hospital buddies helping me."

MacArthur Food Plea For Japan Is Disclosed

WASHINGTON.—Congress learned that the food situation in occupied Japan is such that on one occasion General of the Army Douglas MacArthur telegraphed General of the Army Dwight D. Eisenhower.

"Send me food or send me soldiers and if you do not hurry you will have to send both."

This message from the supreme commander in Japan was quoted by Eisenhower, army chief of staff, in testimony on the regular military money bill, made public by the senate appropriations committee.

Heeding Eisenhower's plea, the senate committee restored to the bill \$150,000,000 the house had trimmed off a budget-approved fund of \$500,000,000 for government and relief costs in the occupied Axis countries.

Ancient Mariner Haunts British Naval Barracks

CHATHAM, ENGLAND.—Sentinels at historic St. Mary's naval barracks have asked that the guard posts be doubled. They complain that the "ghost" of an ancient mariner with a wooden leg, wearing the uniform of Lord Nelson's time, has been haunting the ramparts during the midnight watch.

Naval officers said the long corridors beneath the stone ramparts probably were causing a weird acoustic effect as sentries patrolled the lonely stretch atop the old barracks, built in 1787.

Charges Pepper Lack Is Caused by U. S. Agencies

BALTIMORE, MD.—John N. Curlett of McCormick & Co., Inc., attributed the United States shortage of black pepper to "government agencies charged with handling it during the war."

He said agencies have "missed opportunity after opportunity to bring black pepper into this country, using as an alibi the war and price control" and "ignoring suggestions" by the spice industry.

Tries Easy Way to Get Stamps; It's Hard Way

CHEYENNE, WYO.—Next time a Cheyenne business man gives his secretary money with which to buy stamps, he's going to be more explicit in his directions. He handed his secretary a \$30 check and told her to buy some stamps.

She addressed an envelope to the local postmaster, put the check in it and sent the envelope on its way with nothing in it but the check. She explained later that she thought the postmaster "would know what to do with it and we'd get the stamps."

Chicken Dinner at Pine Mountain Hotel

A dinner was served at Pine Mountain Hotel on Saturday night honoring Miss Peggy Williams and Mr. James Hildvigi, whose engagement has been announced. Simple little gifts from the dime store were presented to them, and it was lots of fun when they were opened to see what each had brought. A delightful chicken dinner was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Price, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Amburgey, Mr. and Mrs. Woodford Webb, Misses Hester Day, Mattie Lee Ward, Clova Amburgey, Rudell Fields, Mabel Mercer, Virginia Vermillion, Messrs. Bill Kincaid, Steve and Andy Hildvigi, Dean Adington, Walter Kries, Smith Setzer, Jim McGee and Junior Jannow.

Mrs. V. Youngblood Passes Away In Missouri

Mrs. Anna Victoria Youngblood, age 58, wife of Rev. George W. Youngblood, fell asleep in Jesus at her home at Ridgedale, Mo., on Thursday, August 1st, 1946. She had been in failing health for the past year but had only been bed-fast about five months. She bore her illness with much patience, shouted and praised God until she passed away. Having been a devoted Christian for the past 38 years, she spent the bigger portion of that time helping her husband in Evangelistic work, evangelizing in Kentucky, Missouri, Arkansas and Oklahoma. They moved to Neon in 1936 and had lived in ad around Neon until January, 1946 when they returned to Missouri where she became ill in February.

During her sickness, she never complained but stayed cheerful to the end. Her death came as a sad shock to her many friends in Letcher County.

She is survived by her bereaved husband, eight children, four sons, Clyde of Norman, Okla. Paul of Blue Eye, Mo., Philip of Neon, Ky., and Silvanus of Whitesburg, Ky., four daughters. Mrs. Grover Youngblood of Ridgedale, Mo., Mrs. Bill Wright of Branson, Mo., Mrs. Cody Mullins and Mrs. Aster Wright of Beehide, Ky., two brothers survive her. Fred Spohn of Miami, Okla., and Claude Spohn of Buena Park, Calif.

Funeral services were held at the cemetery Aug. 2nd, Rev. Clevis Daniels of Seymour, Mo., officiating. Burial at Omaha, Ark. Holt Funeral Home in charge of last rites, of Harrison, Ark.

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NOTICE

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REPRESENTATIVE MAY BE ABLE TO SIT UP IN BED

Prestonsburg, Aug. 19—Rep. Andrew J. May was able to sit up a few minutes for the first time since he came home—one of his physicians reported today.

However, Dr. George Archer says the 71 year old representative weakened within a few minutes and asked if he might lie down again.

Mr. May came home August 1st shortly after he was stricken with a heart condition in Washington. He is scheduled to testify before the senate committee investigating war profits as soon as he is able to return to the capital.

NOTICE

There has been a new Barber Shop opened in town and located in the Matt Dan Fields building. This shop is owned and operated by Dennis Tolliver and Charlie Adams. The public is welcomed to visit and your patronage will be appreciated.

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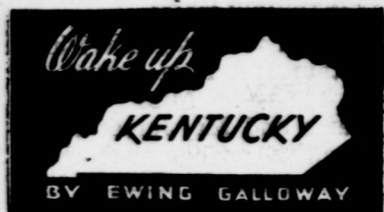
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There is no way of obtaining accurate statistics on traffic law enforcement in Kentucky, but I'll bet the price of a necktie we rank near the bottom of the list of 48 states. And the weakest spot in the whole story of snuffed out lives and permanently crippled bodies is the handling of drunken drivers.

While I don't agree with one of the several organizations in the campaign for greater safety, that 90 per cent of all collections are due to alcohol, it is pretty safe to say 50 per cent of the casualties in Kentucky can be laid to tipsy drivers.

The inspection program now in progress to rid the roads of dangerous vehicles should go a long way in reducing accidents, but brakeless cars, bad lights and other hazardous defects cause just about half the accidents that are taking around 400 lives and injuring 3,000 in Kentucky each year.

Not long ago I asked a State Highway Patrolman if the courts handling traffic cases in his territory always revoked the licenses of persons caught driving while intoxicated.

"Some are revoked," he replied, "while in other cases the charges are reduced by the trial judges to reckless driving, which offense does not call for revocation."

I used to know a man in a west Kentucky city who was intoxicated probably half the time. The police knew his habits but he continued to drive—until his car crashed right into the law—rammed a police car. The offender was fined but continued to drive. That happened before the last election, so the present city government is not to blame.

In cities and towns where traffic police and judges are lax, whether a drunk's license

is revoked depends on who the offender is, of course. And this form of favoritism is hard to reach, because private citizens interested in seeing the law enforced do not have time to attend trials of traffic cases. It is a pity somebody does not report the failure of traffic law enforcement officials to the attorney general and ask that they be thrown out of office.

The newspapers of the state are in the best position to watch traffic cases. Lax officials are afraid of publicity—so fearful of it that they would never violate their oaths in traffic cases if there was a possibility that they would be exposed.

The law is plain enough. Section 186.560 of the Revised Statutes of Kentucky says: "The department (state license bureau) shall forthwith revoke the license of any operator of a motor vehicle upon receiving record of his conviction of driving a vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or narcotic drugs."

Of course, traffic law enforcement is only one of the factors in which all Kentuckians should be concerned. Other items of interest to the people of this State will be concerned. Other items of interest to the people of this State will be discussed by your columnist from week to week.

Let's make democracy a vital and living force in Kentucky!

Search for Bodies of

Yanks in China Is Hard
WASHINGTON.—One of the most difficult searches in all history is being made in China in an attempt to recover the bodies of 1,000 American servicemen, mainly aviators, who bailed out or crashed in that country during the Second World War.

In addition, 500 isolated graves have been located. Col. Charles F. Kearney, in charge of graves registration work, said.

Miss Virginia Vermillion, who has been visiting relatives at Bluefield, and vacationing at Virginia Beach, for the past two months has returned.

Upper Cowan School

The school grounds of the Upper Big Cowan School District have been recognized as one of the outstanding beauty spots of Letcher County for many years. The grounds have never been fenced and the beauty has been somewhat marred in recent years by trucks, automobiles, and other traffic being driven across the property and by livestock running and grazing on it.

Recently truck mines have been opened in the branch in back of the school and while there was never any right-of-way over this school property, the heavy laden coal trucks are driven across the playground only a few feet in front of the school house door thus creating a great danger to the lives and welfare of the school children in addition to the damage they are doing to the school property.

The patrons of the district have become so much concerned about the situation that through their co-operation and the leadership of the two teachers, Mrs. Zola Day Roberts and Mrs. Marie Frazier Day, a pie supper was held at the school house Saturday night, August 17th to raise money to fence the property and make other improvements to the school including folding doors for the partition between the two rooms. The school house has already been wired and Miss Potter has agreed to pay for this part of our improvements.

Despite a bad, rainy night a fine and peaceable crowd gathered. Some forty of the pretty girls and ladies brought pies, cakes and boxes to be sold. An explanation was made as to what the money would be used for. The teachers appointed a committee consisting of Dock Frazier, Henry Ison, and Ned Day to handle the funds, buy the materials and look after having the work done. It was explained that this committee will furnish public statements on the expenditures from time to time until the money has all been spent for the benefit of the school.

The bidding started off well and soon reached a high pitch where it remained until the last pie had been sold, even until the contests for the pretty girl and ugly man had been won.

A total of \$373.91 was raised. This will enable the committee to do some other necessary things for the school in addition to the items mentioned above.

The teachers, the patrons and the children of the district are very happy over the success of the program. They are grateful to every one who co-operated and they are especially thankful to the fine folks who came from other school districts and supported their cause so freely.

The committee in charge will start these improvements as quickly as materials can be obtained.

There are other improvements that should and must be made to the school. The toilets are in a deplorable condition. They constitute a menace to the health of the children and should be condemned by the County Board of Health. They should be moved and rebuilt. The school well should be cleaned out and fixed with a pump and concreted so it cannot be contaminated or interfered with. As it is the students drink water from a branch below where people live. This is a bad situation that should not be permitted to continue. The house and the roof are badly in need of a new coat of paint. This last group of items, we feel is the duty of the Board of Education. The teachers, patrons, and parents of the district in doing their part for a better school challenge and urge the County School Superintendent and the County School Board to do for the district the things that are plainly their own responsibility.

Signed:
—NED DAY.

Uncle W. M. (Melvin) Parsons, 86, of Eolia was a visitor in Whitesburg, on Monday of this week. Mr. Parsons states that he has one older brother, John W. Parsons. He is 89.

Notice to the Public

We will not be responsible for any debts made by the Old Tuckers Cafe and which is now known as Corners Cafe, This the 12th day of August, 1946.

Signed:
—Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tucker.
Neon, Ky.

Notice of Bids On School Coal

The Letcher County Board of Education will receive bids on the furnishing and delivering of coal to the schools in Letcher County for school year 1946-47.

Blanks for bidding on the coal can be obtained at the School Superintendent's Office, Whitesburg, Ky.

—Martha Jane Potter,
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Mrs. John Disney of Neon who has been visiting in Terre Haute, Ind., and Louisville is home again.

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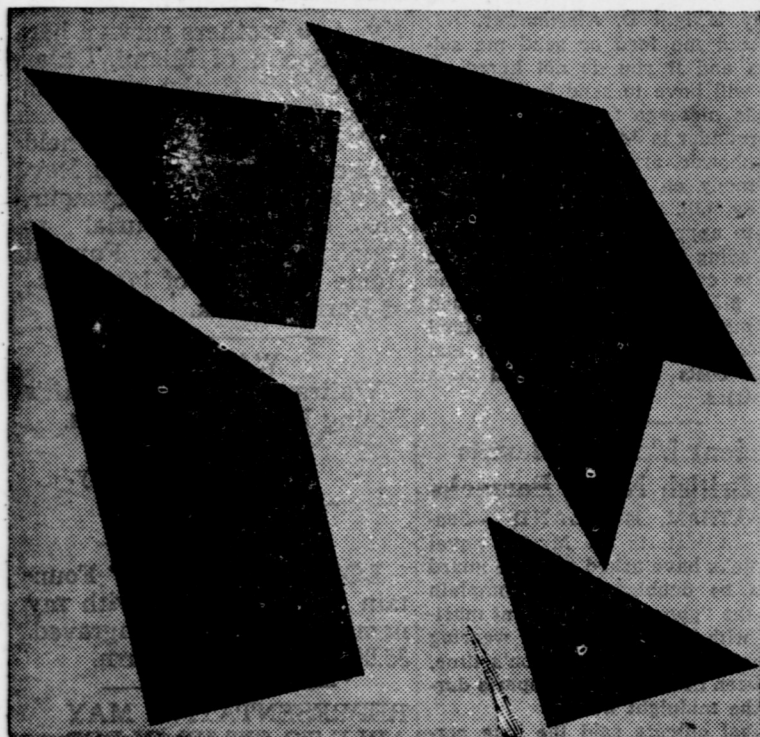
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Letcher County Court

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E. C. Potter, Administrator, and
Lula P. Holbrook, Administratrix
of the Estate of W. H. Potter,
Deceased.) NOTICE.

Pursuant to Section 25.195 of Kentucky Revised Statutes, notice is hereby given that on July 9, 1946, E. C. Potter, administrator, and Lula P. Holbrook, administratrix, of the estate of W. H. Potter, deceased, filed in the Letcher County Court their final settlement as such, and hearing on same is set for Tuesday, August 27, 1946, at 9:00 o'clock a. m.

Exceptions to said settlement must be filed on or before the date of hearing.

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WASHINGTON.—Those who think of the United States coast and geodetic survey as a highly professional and cloistered department of the federal government are only partly right. Its work is scientific, but its personnel often meets with adventure and sometimes in danger.

Personnel engaged in basic geodetic control survey work in the interior areas of the country "may encounter poisonous snakes, wild animals and tame animals gone berserk," department of commerce relates.

"They may find themselves clinging to a mountain ridge when a gale or blizzard strikes, or in deep gorges may be compelled to portage their boats and paraphernalia around rapids too rugged for navigation. In a mountain defile the lead man accidentally may dislodge a boulder, causing a wild scramble among those behind him to avoid serious injury.

Appeals to Young Men.

"Despite hardships and dangers encountered on occasion, however, work in the open has a strong appeal to young men and the division of geodesy experiences no difficulty in maintaining field parties at full strength.

"Every summer a limited number of young engineering students are given employment and distributed among field parties. They receive regular salaries and per diem allowances while employed and are assigned to the less difficult tasks. Not a few of them ultimately join the survey as permanent members. Often the work of field parties is centered far from human habitation."

Geodetic control operations take into account the curvature of the earth. For this reason in flat terrain it is necessary to make triangulation surveys from a considerable elevation. To meet this need tall portable steel towers are in constant use by field parties. In addition to taking care of the curvature of the earth, these towers provide an observation platform extending above surrounding forest growth and other obstacles. On two occasions falls from these towers have been fatal.

Operations Varied.

Operations in geodetic control are varied. They include the determination of geographic positions—latitude and longitude—and the determination of elevations.

"In 1807, during the administration of President Thomas Jefferson, the bureau was organized as the United States coast survey," the report says. "Operations started in 1816. There were some interruptions to the work, but it has been carried on continuously since 1836.

"Having always handled coastal control surveys, the bureau in 1878 was given the task of continuing such surveys into the interior and became the United States coast and geodetic survey. As a result of this practical control-survey work, a series of charts and maps covering the United States in its entirety today may be put together like the many pieces of a picture puzzle."

Burmese Rice Output Is

Expected to Be Short

SINGAPORE, STRAITS SETTLEMENTS.—Rice production in Burma and Java probably will be more than 600,000 tons short of internal needs this year, an RAF aerial survey discloses.

The survey showed that about 16,000,000 acres of irrigated rice lands in Burma, Java and French Indo-China remained uncultivated. British officials here believed Burma would be obliged to draw upon her surplus accumulated during the war. The Burmese government hoped to be able to continue some exports from that surplus.

Sarawak, Rich Borneo

Kingdom, Now British

LONDON.—Sarawak, rich Borneo kingdom of the white rajahs, has become a British Crown colony.

An order in council put into effect legislation approved by the British parliament and Sarawak's supreme council.

Sarawak, Borneo state with 500,000 inhabitants and 300,000 acres of rubber plantations, was ceded to Britain by its last white rajah, Sir Charles Vyner Brooke, 71, under an agreement by which his three daughters and some local officials receive the proceeds of a \$4,000,000 trust fund established from Sarawak funds.

Chums Buy Artificial

Arm for Crippled Youth

FLINT, MICH.—Willis Conkright Jr., 14, who lost part of his right arm in a mowing machine mishap, was given funds for an artificial arm by his playmates in the neighborhood.

He was driving a horse-drawn mower on his father's farm. He got off the seat to shoo a pheasant and her brood out of the way, and fell in front of the blades as the horses started.

James McAuley is vacationing in Texas.

Stuart Robinson School Highlights

Miss Helen Turner was at home Thursday and attended a birthday dinner given in honor of her mother. She returned to Stuart Robinson Friday.

Rev. W. L. Cooper recently returned from a business trip from Statesville, North Carolina, Anderson, South Carolina and Atlanta, Georgia.

Miss Mary L. Ervin spent Saturday at Whitesburg on business.

Clothing sales conducted by Stuart Robinson School have started again at Doty. These sales will be conducted every two weeks. The next one is to be held August 31.

The class of 1946 gave as a gift to Stuart Robinson School, a plaque in memory of the students who gave their all in the recent war. Those were James Whitaker and J. P. Hampton. This beautiful plaque has been received and will be placed in the School Auditorium.

The Young People of Stuart Robinson community have what they call play night every Friday night. Last week over thirty boys and girls were present.

Rev. H. N. Ethridge again supplied the pulpit of Rev. S. A. Maxwell. Sunday morning, Mr. Ethridge is visiting in the community this week.

Miss Frances Bradshaw from Covington, Georgia has arrived on Stuart Robinson Campus to take charge of Home Economics department for the coming year.

Sandlick News

(by Gwendolyn Adams)
A birthday party was given Sunday in honor of Carroll Sexton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Sexton. Those present were: Jerry and Glenn Adams, David, Ray and Emily Sexton, Rhodie and Ellis Caudill, Faye Maggard, Astor, Elbert, and Emmett Mullins, Tommy and Ronnie Back, Price and Elihu Sizemore, Joyce Morton, Tisha Mae, Josephine, Lucy and G. Bennett Sexton, and Billy Jean Tackett from Middlesboro, Hoover Collins from Isom. All the children enjoyed themselves.

Hiram Sexton, after a serious operation in Virginia, is recuperating nicely.

Mrs. Willis Caudill is on the road to recovery after having pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Morton spent Sunday in Hazard where they went to see Oda Collins, who is in the hospital.

Dry Fork News

Mrs. Lake Taylor and her husband William Taylor, have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Minta Tyree. She took her little daughter, Shirley home with them to attend school at Jackson, Ohio. We sure miss her here.

Mrs. Arthur Caudill has returned from Louisville Hospital where she had a serious operation. We hope her speedy recovery.

Miss Nancy Tyree, daughter of Minta Tyree is a patient in a Louisville Hospital where she went to have her arm treated.

Mr. Jody Tyree is a patient in Va. Hospital for appendicitis.

Local Tyree is able to visit his mother.

Remember the Memorial meeting at Babe Ison Graveyard third Sunday in September. Everybody is invited to attend church on that day.

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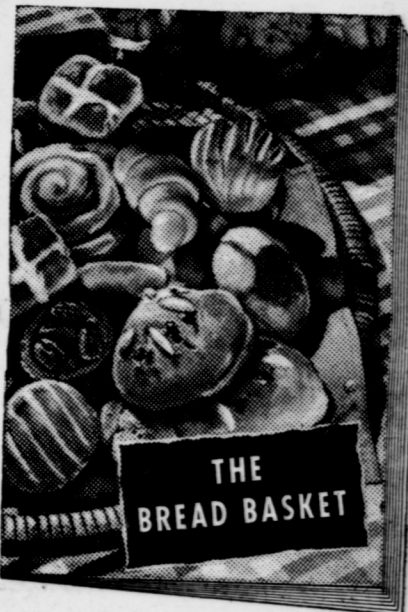
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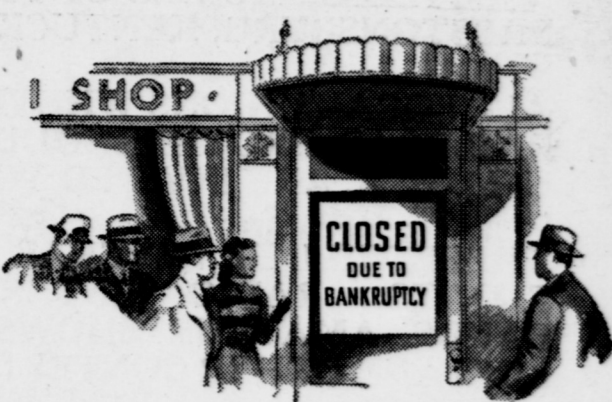


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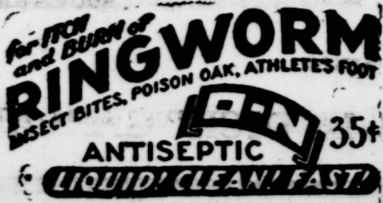
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EVERY LABORING MAN AND HIS FAMILY SHOULD MAKE PLANS NOW TO BE IN PRESTONSBURG, KY., ON MONDAY, SEPT. 2, 1946.

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Craft-Harris

Miss Cornelia Craft and Paul Harris were married in Louisville on Wednesday, August 14, at 2039 Donglar Blvd., at the office of Magistrate Rublin Gibbs and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. B. Huey were witnesses to the ceremony. The bride wore a traveling suit of English tweed and wore a corsage of gardenias. Miss Craft is well known in Whitesburg having been with Mother Craft's Dining Room and is the daughter of Mother Craft.

Paul was reared here in Whitesburg, being the son of Mrs. San Harris and was only recently discharged from service. He entered the service in Wayne County, Michigan, June 30, 1942, was in the Rhineland Campaign, was awarded the good conduct medal, medal victory ribbon, American ribbon, Purple Heart, European, African, Middle Eastern Theatre Ribbon, and the Bronze Star. Paul was wounded in Germany December 16, 1944 and since that time he has been gradually recuperating.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris plan to make their home in California. They both attended Whitesburg High School. Mrs. Lou Harris will accompany them to California. Before going to California, Mr. and Mrs. Harris will spend their honeymoon in Detroit.

Miss Louise Williams is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Karl W. Childers, (Lois Boggs) at Charlestown, Ind.

Mrs. Cora Neal returned last week to Lawrenceburg, Tenn., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Combs and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Mohn. Miss Jackie Combs went with her for a two weeks' stay.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN ON 18 DAY VACATION

President Truman has sailed from Washington aboard the yacht Williamsburg for an 18-day New England cruise,

his first real vacation since he took office 16 months ago. Accompanying him are a few aides and close personal friends. There will be no public appearances during the trip, although Mr. Truman plans to go ashore several times.

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Saturday, August 24

On The Premises

AT 9:30 A. M.

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Five houses, four barns and other outbuildings.

Livestock and Farm Equipment consisting of one Registered Hereford Bull, several stock cattle, milk cows with calves at side, one pair horses.

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